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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Bridgham, et al.

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FOR: **PLANAR ARRAYS OF MICROPARTICLE--  
BOUND POLYNUCLEOTIDES**

EXAMINER: Tung, J.

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Declaration Under 37 CFR §1.821

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

I, LeeAnn Gorthey, declare and affirm as follows:

1. I am an agent for the applicant.
2. The floppy disc which accompanies this Declaration contains the required sequence listing.
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4. The present submission contains no new matter relative to the application as originally filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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